

# **Roanoke Local Human Rights Committee**

## **Minutes**

**January 10, 2013**

The Roanoke Local Human Rights Committee met on January 10, 2013 at 4:00 pm at Goodwill Industries of the Valley at 2502 Melrose Ave., Roanoke, VA.

### Members Present

Renu Musselwhite (Vice Chair)  
Joseph Kinchloe  
Ann Patterson  
Rebecca Downs

### Members Absent

Vincent Dabney  
Thayer Walker

### Affiliates Represented

Alleghany Highlands Community Services (AHCS) – Nancy Curry, Angela Goodbar

### Affiliates Not Represented

All other affiliates not represented due to special meeting.

### Others Present

Dwayne Lynch, Human Rights Advocate, DBHDS –OHR

### Call to Order

Renu Musselwhite, Vice Chairperson, called to order the special meeting, and invited members, staff, and guests to introduce themselves.

### Minutes

Minutes of previous Roanoke LHRC meeting not reviewed, will be reviewed during next scheduled LHRC meeting.

### Agenda

Agenda for January 10, 2013 Special Meeting reviewed for approval. Motion was made to approve agenda as printed, 2<sup>nd</sup> and approved.

### Advocates Report

Dwayne Lynch, Human Rights Advocate thanked committee members for their willingness to meet for this special meeting on short notice. Their dedication to the committee and assistance in protecting the individuals we serve is greatly appreciated. AHCS is also very

appreciative of the committee being able to come together to hear their request. Please take your time and review packet information received.

#### Request for Affiliation (New Service)

Provider gave overview of services and explained differences between group home and ICF/ID. Discussion on treatment teams, consent, and increased level of care where highlighted the most during this period.

Motion was made, and 2<sup>nd</sup>. Committee voted to grant affiliation to AHCS for ICF/ID home. Committee also requested the provider give an update when all beds have been converted fully to ICF/ID.

#### Other Business

No other business to discuss.

#### Adjournment

Meeting adjourn, next scheduled meeting announced for Feb.

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Renu Musselwhite, Vice Chair

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Date